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# ***The Oracle***

**Newsletter of the Silver Springs Radio Club**

*Oldest Radio Club in Marion County, FL*



**July 2021**

# Field Day Special Edition



Andy, NA4DA



Roger, K4ZFW

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## **Setting up!**

Field Day 2021 was held at Green Clover Hall on June 26 & 27. The club used 4 transmitters plus a Get-on-the-Air (GOTA) Station.

Pictures from Jim, KN4MIV



Elbert, KQ3K





**Tom, W4DAX and his trailer.**



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## Roger, K4ZFW, and his trailer



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## The Inside Action

Allan, KN4NSA on the  
GOTA Station



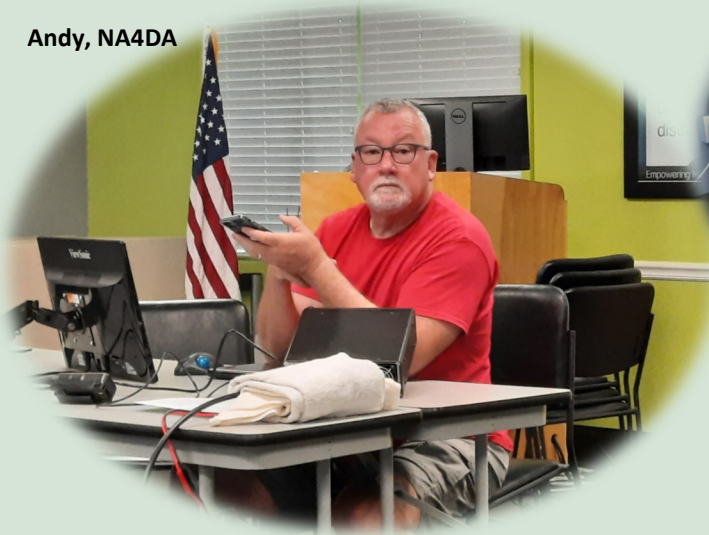
Wayne, N4FP, on CW



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Tom W4DAX, xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx, Elbert KQ3K

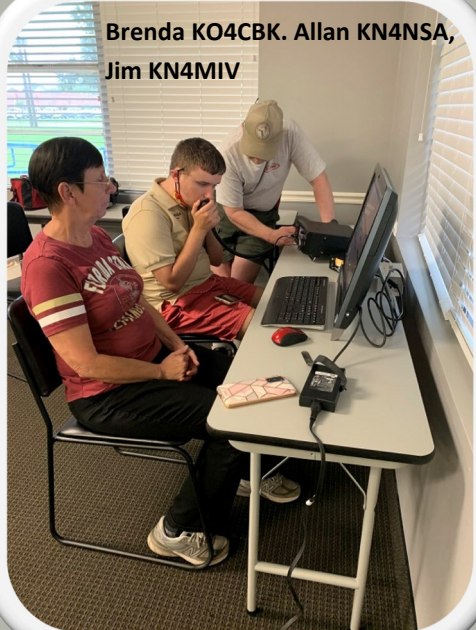


Leon K8ZAG, Gray KC3DWY





## Field Day 2021 Pictures from Gray, KC3DWY



Brenda KO4CBK. Allan KN4NSA,  
Jim KN4MIV



Andy, NA4DA



Ron KS4SW, Elbert KQ3K



XXXXXXXXXXXXX, Tom, W4DAX





**Pictures from Gray, KC3DWY**

## A Facebook Field Day Tribute to the "DADliest" of all Hobbies

Krystal Berry, Daughter of Carl Berry, KC5CMX

"May the Morse Be With You."

Since I can remember, my dad has looked forward to an annual Ham Radio event in June called Field Day. This event has been going on since 1933.

More than 40,000 "hams" throughout the U.S. set up transmitting stations to demonstrate ham radio's science, dedication to public service, emergency preparedness, community outreach, and their technical skills.

When I was growing up, people refused to believe that I understood "computer/IT" things because I'm a girl. But my childhood involved learning Morse code, taking apart electronics to put them back together, taking classes about atmospheric radio frequencies, and reading books that taught me the importance of ground wires and understanding electric charges.

My big nerd energy came from this guy. As an adult, I couldn't be any more grateful. Field day was different this year since we had so much family stuff going on, but it's always nice to see my dad in his happy place.



Krystal posted this on Facebook. The Berry family was in Arkansas over Field Day weekend for a family wedding.

Below are some highlights of Krystal's responses to her post.

I need this shirt

2d Haha Reply

Love this post so much!! Loved watching dad do the thing he loves!

2d Love Reply

That is the Dadliest of all hobbies! Love it!

2d Like Reply



Carl Berry

Mark Sykuta dadliest. I like that.

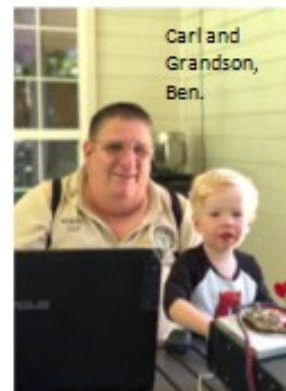
2d Like Reply



I need to trademark the name "The Dadliest Game" for the upcoming TLC series about HAM radios operating dads across America.



Grandson William honing CW skills



Carl and Grandson, Ben.